

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In re Application of  
Tony ALBRECHT et al.  
Serial No.: 10/580,969  
Filed: February 26, 2007  
For: Light-Emitting Semiconductor Component  
Comprising a Protective Diode

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Examiner: Ward, Eric A.  
Group Art: 2891

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT / SUBMISSION**

SIR:

**PETITION**

Applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of the original response period set by the Notice of Panel Decision from Pre-Appeal Brief Review. The amount of \$490.00 in payment of the government fee for a two-month extension of time should be charged to our PTO Deposit Account No. 03-2412 so that the period for response is extended to October 27, 2009.

**CLAIM FEES**

Please charge the amount of \$220.00 for one additional independent claim in excess of three to our PTO Deposit Account No. 03-2412. Any additional fees or charges required at this time in connection with the present application may be charged to our PTO Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

## **RESPONSE**

This Amendment/Submission is being filed along with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.